REMARKS

Reexamination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the foregoing amendments and remarks. Claims 1 to 9, 30, and 31 remain for consideration. Claim 1 has been amended as discussed below.

Claim Rejections – 35 U.S.C. § 112

Relying on 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, claims 1 to 5, 7, 30, and 31 have been rejected as being indefinite for the reasons enumerated on page 3 of the present Office Action. The Examiner objected to the phrase "a heterocyclic group having one or more sulfur, oxygen or nitrogen atoms" appearing in claim 1, and requested appropriate correction. Accordingly, claim 1 has been amended to comply with the Examiner's requirement.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant claims are now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, an early Notice of Allowance with respect to claims 1 to 9, 30, and 31 is earnestly solicited.

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